

# Bryan Morning Eagle

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THIRTEENTH YEAR

BRYAN TEXAS, WEDNESDAY MORNING, MARCH 18, 1908.

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## Campaign of Cleanliness

### Order of Street Commission Is Being Obeyed Forward Movement all Along the Line. State and National Campaign.

The week of cleaning up the town is permitted to accumulate. Every pile of decaying vegetation, every pool of stagnant water, every body of a dead animal and every accumulation of animal remains is a breeding place for disease germs. These germs are conveyed by mosquitoes, flies, fleas, and other vermin. The germs and vermin all find congenial homes in dirt of any kind, hence if there were no dirt they could not exist. To sanitation the old proverb was first applied that "an ounce of prevention is better than a pound of cure." Sanitation is yet in its infancy but it has already lengthened the average duration of human life nearly ten years.

It is the earnest wish of the authorities to avoid, if possible, compulsory measures to enforce the law, but the order contains a plain declaration of their purpose to deal with delinquents, should there be any such, as they deserve.

This campaign for cleanliness is being carried on aggressively in every part of Texas. Our exchanges, both daily and weekly, with scarcely an exception, are giving a large share of attention to it. A few days ago State Health Officer Brumby proudly announced that Texas is already the cleanest State in the Union. Other States, however, are doing good work and there is reason to hope that the time will soon come when Americans will no longer be put to shame in this respect by the heathen Japanese.

This wide spread crusade in behalf of cleanliness is the result of increasing knowledge. Science has demonstrated what experience had long taught: That dirt and disease are inseparable. Deadly microbes and bacilli lurk in cesspools, in closets and in neglected corners where trash

### CUT IN LEFT SIDE.

#### Affair Brought About by Previous Difficulty.

Waco, March 17.—As a result of the fight the day of the anti-Bailey meeting here between Representative A. M. Kennedy and P. H. Carnes, a traveling man, there was a fight Tuesday between Tom Blair, son of the late Captain T. A. Blair, in which Mr. Blair was dangerously cut in the left side. The affair was brought about over a discussion in which it was asserted that Mr. Kennedy, who is an ardent Bailey man, was wearing an anti-Bailey reception badge the day the convention was held, claiming he did so as a citizen of Waco and not as a partisan either way. Carnes gave bond. Previous to the cutting the parties had a fist fight.

#### GRESHAM BEFORE COMMITTEE.

#### Asks Couple of Appropriations For Improvements at Galveston.

Washington, March 17.—The house committee on appropriations has begun repairing urgency deficiency bill, Colonel Gresham appeared before the committee to ask \$700,000 for the extension of the jetties under the authorized contract and \$345,000 for the barracks recommended by fortifications board at Galveston. Galveston shared the fate of all eastern seaports and gets nothing in the fortifications bill for seawall protection or forts.

On assurances of a favorable report by the military affairs committee Representative Slayden introduced a bill to donate to Albert Sidney Johnson camp of Confederate veterans of San Antonio obsolete Springfield rifles, bayonets and scabbards. If the bill passes will set a precedent for thus equipping all Confederate veteran camps.

Representative Stephens had passed in the house a bill opening all Indian lands except those of the Five Civilized Tribes for mineral development.

#### SOME INCOMPLETE.

#### State Tax Board Commission Calls For Additional Information.

Austin, March 17.—The state tax commission held a meeting Tuesday morning for the purpose of examining reports as to railroad valuations that have been received during the past ten days. As some of the reports were incomplete the board decided to send out letters at once to most of the roads calling for additional information. When this additional information is obtained the board will then proceed to make preliminary estimates as to the values for this year.

John T. Smith, chief clerk in the comptroller's department, will, it is understood, tender his resignation to Comptroller Stephens in a day or two. Mr. Smith resigns for the purpose of engaging in private business at Austin.

#### Robbers Arrested.

El Paso, March 17.—A telegram from Juan A. Creel, manager of the Banzo Minero of Chihuahua, Mex., to the local branch of that bank, says that the robbers who recently secured \$295,000 from the bank have been arrested and that the stolen money has been located, but not yet recovered.

### ACTIVITY AT DENVER.

#### Names of Bryan, Gray, Chandler and Johnson to Be Presented.

Denver, March 17.—Active political work on the nomination for president and vice president before the Democratic national convention, which meets at Denver July 7, has already begun at this city. Headquarters have been rented at leading hotels and political workers are on the ground looking after the interests of the men they represent. Prominent among those who have been mentioned in connection with the presidential nomination, are W. J. Bryan, George Gray of Delaware, Stuyvesant Chandler of New York and Governor Johnson of Minnesota. Their friends already here in their interest state positively that their names will go before the convention as nominees. Other candidates for the nomination are mentioned, but none of them appear to have developed much strength.

The attitude of the delegation from Colorado is attracting a great deal of interest. The argument is made that because the convention is to be held in this state the Colorado delegation should go into the convention unrepresented. For this reason it is probable Colorado's delegation will be left free to vote for whatever candidate it chooses.

#### EVANS TO RETIRE.

#### Will Haul Down His Flag Upon Fleet's Arrival at Frisco.

San Francisco, March 17.—A special dispatch from San Diego contains the news of the announcement by Rear Admiral Evans, commander of the Atlantic fleet, that upon his arrival at San Francisco he will retire from command because of ill health. This announcement officially confirms a report from Washington that Admiral Evans will haul down his flag upon his arrival at the California metropolis.

#### EVANS' SUCCESSOR.

#### Next to "Fighting Bob" in Seniority Is Rear Admiral Thomas.

Washington, March 17.—At Admiral Evans' personal request he will be relieved of the command of the battleship fleet on reaching San Francisco. Rear Admiral Thomas next in seniority, will succeed Admiral Evans in the command of the fleet. It has not yet determined whether Admiral Thomas will bring the fleet around the world to the Atlantic station or not. It is expected this detail will be decided shortly.

#### Costly Partridge Killing.

Waxahachie, Tex., March 17.—In county court W. H. Hogan entered a plea of guilty of killing one partridge out of season. Fine and costs foot up \$31.

#### Sent Up For Life.

Houston, March 17.—Andrew Green was convicted on charge of killing Nan Dubois and given life sentence.

#### Elgin Butter Sales.

Elgin, Ill., March 17.—Butter sales the past week were 435,000 pounds.

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For the balance of THIS WEEK only we offer:

Prunes, per pound	8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> c
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All of the above are the best we can buy.

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## The Daily Eagle

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### ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The Eagle is authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices indicated subject to the Democratic Primaries:

For Congress Sixth District:  
RUFUS HARDY (Re-election).

BRYAN, TEXAS, MARCH 18, 1908.

If you see that a person dislikes you avoid him until you get an opportunity to do him a favor.

Senator Tillman impaled Roosevelt on his pitchfork and held him up before the senators Monday.

Governor Campbell has received a letter from Bowery Mission in New York, written in behalf of 2000 men who want to come to Texas if they can get jobs.

### NEWS NOTE OF NEIGHBORS.

A house in Madisonville belonging to A. J. Camp of Huntsville, occupied by John Byers, was burned last Friday night.

Palestine is undergoing a thorough cleaning up. It has a laudable ambition to be the cleanest town in Texas.

H. L. Thompson, while hunting on the Trinity river, near Kearns, killed an otter which measured five feet from tip to tip. This is said to be the first otter killed or trapped in this locality for a number of years.

Temple is enjoying a street paving revival and good results are hoped for.

Rev. A. S. Johnson, Presbyterian pastor at Huntsville, has accepted a call to Greenville.

Work on the fair grounds at Rockdale is progressing. The race track is half a mile around.

Capt. J. J. Irvin of Cameron celebrated his seventy-eighth birthday Monday, on which occasion he entertained thirty of his old Confederate comrades at dinner.

The Navasota Examiner-Review advocates closing the stores at 6:30.

**TIN! TIN! TINWARE!!**  
Tinware of all descriptions is made in my shop—work first-class. I solicit your orders. Call on H. Gerke, Tinner, shop near Bonneville's Old Racket Store.

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# WEBB BROS.

Harrison shall be renominated for Congress next fall.

The Taft workers may make a new move for the delegates from Vermont as a result of the death of Senator Proctor. It is probable that same aspirants for the senatorship will seek the aid of the Administration and of the Secretary of War toward furthering their ambitions.

The Connecticut Republican State convention this spring promises to be one of the most interesting held in the Nutmeg State in a number of years. Contrary to custom the two United States Senators are to go as delegates to the Republican national convention. The State convention will meet at Hartford in May.

Among the prominent Democrats whose names are mentioned in connection with the gubernatorial nomination in New York this fall are Supreme Court Justice James A. O'Gorman, Supreme Court Justice Keough and D. Cady Herrick, who was formerly a Supreme Court Justice.

An appeal has been issued by the colored campaign vigilance committee to the negro voters of the Southern States to bring about the election of delegates to the Republican national convention at Chicago who will cast their votes for Senator Foraker for the presidential nomination.

It has been the custom of Delaware Republicans for years past to send their delegates to the national convention un instructed. Senator DuPont, one of the most prominent of the party leaders, is authority for the statement that the same rule probably will be followed this year.

Charles F. Brokner, Republican national committeeman from Connecticut, says that he does not intend to

seek re-election as national committeeman from his state, and will in all probability retire from politics this year. Mr. Brokner has been active in Republican national politics for many years.

The Republican and Democratic State conventions, both of which are to be held in Harrisburg in May, will nominate candidates for the Superior Court in addition to choosing delegates-at-large to the national conventions. The Republican convention will meet April 29, and the Democrats about one week later.

The recent death of Senator Proctor of Vermont caused the fifth vacancy in the Senate within a year. Senators John T. Morgan and Edmund W. Pettus of Alabama died in the vacation of Congress and Senator Stephen Mallory of Florida and Senator A. C. Matimer of South Carolina have died since Congress met in December.

The Eagle was in error yesterday in stating that the masquerade drill would be given on Friday night, March 27. It will be at the rink Saturday night, March 28th.

Mrs. J. W. Driver had the misfortune to fall from the gallery at her home yesterday morning and sustain a painful injury. We are pleased to note that she is not hurt seriously.

### COLLEGE WOMEN IN SESSION.

Winston-Salem, N. C., March 17.—The first annual meeting of the Women's College Association of North and South Carolina began at Salem Academy here this afternoon and will remain in session three days. Nearly twenty institutions are represented at the meeting by their presidents or other members of their faculties.

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H. & T. C. Schedule.  
No. 3 North Bound..... 1:38 p.m.  
No. 5 North Bound..... 12:46 a.m.  
No. 2 South Bound..... 3:40 p.m.  
No. 6 North Bound..... 2:48 a.m.  
I. & G. N. Schedule.  
INo 14, North..... 12:54 p.m.  
No. 15, South..... 4:14 p.m.

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Yes, in our line of Spring Footwear  
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We call especial notice to our three  
eye short vamp Oxford and the pret-  
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NOTICE TO THE PUBLIC.

The work of cleaning up the town  
will begin Monday morning, March 16.  
The citizens are requested to com-  
mence at once. All trash must be  
put in piles convenient for those in  
charge of hauling same. Closets must  
be cleaned and premises put in  
thorough sanitary order. Those fail-  
ing to comply with the above will have  
complaint filed against them at once.

J. E. COVEY,  
3t Chairman Street Com.

If you would like to fool some wise  
Coffee Critic, who "knows fine coffee  
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Coffee" and serve it piping hot. It de-  
ceives any one. And there is not a grain  
of real coffee in it. Health Coffee  
is made from pure toasted grains,  
malt, nuts, etc. Made in a minute—  
1 to 20 to 30 minutes tedious boiling.  
1 to 2 pounds, 25c. Sold by J. M. Law-  
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SUNDAY SCHOOL POPULAR CON-  
CERT.

The Sunday school of the Baptist  
church has arranged to give a popular  
concert at the Carnegie Hall, Mon-  
day evening, March 30th, under the  
direction of Prof. Lillebrdge, benefit  
Baptist Sunday school. Arrangements  
have not been completed but the  
public can feel assured that there  
will be a treat in store for them on  
this date.

"Health Coffee" is really the closest  
imitation ever yet produced. This,  
the finest coffee substitute ever made,  
has recently been produced by Dr.  
Shoop of Racine, Wis. Not a grain  
of real coffee in it either. Health Coffee  
is made from pure toasted cereals,  
with malt, nuts, etc. Really it would  
fool an expert—who might drink it  
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utes boiling. "Made in a minute"  
says the doctor. Sold by Jno. M.  
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Look around you and see all the  
new vehicles sold this spring by Buch-  
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The Eagle is sorry to note the se-  
rious illness of Mrs. J. P. Weaver at  
her home near Bryan.

See the one mile race at the Rink  
Saturday night, March 21. Benefit  
Daughters of the Confederacy.

Fresh Bread, Cakes, etc., at the Tex-  
as Bakery, Mrs. Otto Boehme, Propri-  
etor.

Mrs. Nick Lobello arrived home  
yesterday from a visit to Waco. Her  
mother accompanied her home.

We are showing some swell turnouts  
in phaetons and surreys. Buchanan-

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MARCH 21

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### IOWA REPUBLICANS FOR TAFT.

Des Moines, Ia., March 17.—Delegates and visitors to the Republican State convention are already arriving in the city in considerable number. The attendance of visitors promises to be unusually large. A gathering of the Republicans of Iowa almost always means an interesting political contest, and the State convention tomorrow will certainly prove no exception to the rule.

Politics in the Hawkeye State this year will reach the boiling point. In addition to the contests incident to the presidential election this fall the State is to choose a governor and other officials and a legislature that will have the choice of a United States Senator to succeed the venerable Allison. Under anything like normal conditions Iowa is anchored safely in the Republican column and naturally the political wheel whirls most intensely about the Republican party. The bitter fight between the "progressive" and the "stand-pat" factions of the Republican party has aroused a feeling of hope in the Democratic breasts, which tends to further enliven the political situation.

The convention tomorrow will choose delegates-at-large to the Republican national convention. In June a second convention will be held at Waterloo to select a State ticket. The rivalry of the two factions has become so acute, however that the senatorial and gubernatorial contests will figure in no small degree in the proceedings tomorrow. Already the hotel lobbies are filled with the party leaders from over the State and a strenuous button-hole campaign is being pursued in the interests of one or the other of the factions.

Iowa is practically conceded to Taft, because the Republican leaders of both factions, or a large majority of them at least, have indorsed his candidacy. The so-called progressive element hastened to announce themselves for the Secretary of War in order to head off the Shaw boom, while most of the "stand-pat" leaders have been favorably inclined towards the Taft candidacy from the start.

The main contest now seems to be which faction will control the Taft delegation to Chicago. The senatorial issue between Cummins and Allison is not involved, but the two factions are fighting for the control of the convention, believing the outcome may have an important bearing upon the senatorial primaries to be held in June. The State convention will be composed of 1,183 delegates, of which number the Allison forces to claim to have a clear majority. The division is even enough, however, to assure a lively contest on the convention floor. Attorney General H. W. Byers, as temporary chairman, will call the convention to order at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning.

BIRTHDAY OF PRINCESS PATRICIA  
London, March 17.—Princess Patricia of Connaught, whose reported betrothal to the Count of Turin has recently attracted much public attention, was twenty-two years old today, having been born on St. Patrick's day, in 1886, and receiving the name of Patricia in consequence.

Princess Patricia is the daughter of King Edward's only living brother and she has recently been spoken of as the handsomest member of the English royal family. She has more than once been reported engaged to this or that member of royalty, among the number being King Alfonso of Spain, who later wedded her cousin, Princess Ena of Battenberg. The London papers have recently been filled with stories in regard to her reported betrothal to the Count of Turin, who is first cousin to the King of Italy, but so far there has been no official announcement of the engagement. Princess Patricia at present is cruising about the Mediterranean in company with her parents.

GREAT SPEED EXPECTED.  
Savannah, Ga., March 17.—What promises to be one of the greatest automobile race meetings that has ever taken place in America will begin over the Savannah course near this city tomorrow. Preparations for the event have been going on for several months and are now complete. The course is in excellent shape. Enormous crowds of people are expected to congregate along the circuit, which will be thoroughly policed from end to end to prevent accidents. Grand stands for the accommodation of spectators have been erected at several points and seats at three dollars each are selling like hot cakes.

Famous racing automobiles, guided by the best drivers of America, are entered in the various events that up the programme. Among the drivers entered there are so many skillful, fearless and experienced men with cars of known power and speed, that it is considered useless to attempt to pick the winners. Thursday, which will be the big day of the meet, has been proclaimed a public holiday in Savannah.

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### RAILWAY OFFICIALS MEET.

Chicago, Ill., March 17.—Prominent railroad officials dealing with the construction and maintenance of track, roadway, bridges and buildings of the leading roads of the United States and Canada assembled in Chicago today for the annual convention of the American Railway Engineering and Maintenance of Way Association. While practically all of the members of the association are connected with railroad companies, the membership is an individual one, and not by railroad representation. The actions of the association are in the nature of recommendations only and not binding on the members or the railroads they represent. The purpose of the organization is the advancement of knowledge pertaining to the scientific and economical location, construction, operation and maintenance of steam railroads. The programme of the meeting covers three days and provides for the numerous technical papers and addresses.

### BONAPARTE HIT BY PANIC.

Baltimore, Md., March 17.—Several Maryland farms belonging to Attorney General Charles J. Bonaparte were offered for sale at public auction in upper Marlborough today. The sale is understood to result from several financial reverses recently sustained by Attorney General Bonaparte. A banking firm where Mr. Bonaparte had a large deposit of money recently failed and he sustained a further loss through the bankruptcy of a personal friend, to whom he had made a large loan.

### SAWMILL FIRE CONSUMED.

Largest Establishment in Mississippi  
Has Been Reduced to Ashes.

Hattiesburg, Miss., March 17.—The plant of the J. J. Newman Lumber company, the largest sawmill in the state, burned to the ground Tuesday morning, together with 5,000,000 feet of lumber. Loss is approximately \$200,000. Eight hundred hands are thrown out of employment.

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